

ABSTRACT**AN ADJUSTABLE MOUNTING ASSEMBLY FOR MOUNTING A SUPPORT
STAY OF A CLAMP ARM TO A DIPPER ARM OF A BACK ACTOR.**

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The invention provides an adjustable mounting assembly (5) for mounting a support
 stay (18) of a clamp arm (7) to a dipper arm (1) of a back actor. The mounting assembly
 comprises an elongated mounting member (9) defining a longitudinally extending
 10 central axis for mounting on the dipper arm with the central axis of the mounting
 member extending substantially parallel to the dipper arm and an anchor member (17)
 for anchoring the support stay to the mounting member. The anchor member is
 selectively engageable with the mounting member in at least two anchor locations
 spaced apart longitudinally along the central axis of the mounting member. The anchor
 15 locations position the clamp arm in an operative orientation with the clamp arm
 extending outwardly from the dipper arm for co-operating with a bucket mounted at the
 distal end of the dipper arm or in an inoperative orientation with the clamp arm and the
 support stay extending substantially parallel to the dipper arm. The assembly allows for
 the easy adjustment of the clamp arm from an operating to a stowed position.

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